IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

THURSDAY, THE 21ST JUNE 2007 / 31ST JYAISHTA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 3752 of 2007()

CRIME NO.10/07 OF THE EXCISE RANGE, IRINJALAKUDA.

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PETITIONER/ACCUSED:

RAMAKRISHNAN, AGED 40 YEARS,
S/O. PARAN, PANDIYANVEETTIL HOUSE,
MAVINCHUVADU DESOM, KALLUR VILLAGE,
MUKUNDAPURAM TALUK.

BY ADV. SRI.V.M.KRISHNAKUMAR

RESPONDENTS: STATE & COMPLAINANT:

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1. STATE OF KERALA,
REPRESENTED BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.

2. THE EXCISE INSPECTOR, IRINJALAKUDA.

BY P.P. SRI. S.U. NAZAR

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 21/06/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R. BASANT, J.

B.A. NO. 3752 of 2007

Dated this the 21st day of June, 2007

ORDER

Application for regular bail. The petitioner faces allegations under the Kerala Abkari Act. He was allegedly found to engage himself in the activity of sale of Indian Made Foreign Liquor. 900 ml. of IMFL was allegedly seized from his possession on 1/6/2007. The petitioner continues in custody from that date.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner prays, the learned Public Prosecutor does not seriously oppose the said prayer and I am satisfied that the petitioner can now be enlarged on bail subject to appropriate terms and conditions.

3. **In the result:**

(a) The application is allowed.

(b) The petitioner shall be released on bail on the following terms and conditions:

(i) The petitioner shall execute a bond for Rs.25,000/-

with two solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate.

(ii) The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation before the Investigating Officer as and when directed by the Investigating Officer in writing to do so.

Sd/-

(R. BASANT, JUDGE)

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P.S. to Judge